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AMENDMENT

In reply to the Official Action dated March 26, 2003, please amend the application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend claims 17 and 18 as follows:

17. (Amended) A distributed system with a plurality of services, comprising:  
a first server computer having a memory containing a lookup discovery service for facilitating access to at least a second server computer;

a second server computer having a memory containing a lookup service having stubs for facilitating access to a plurality of services and having a processor for running the lookup service; and

a client computer having a memory containing a program that transmits a request to the first server computer and having a processor for running the program; wherein

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